Goldsboro Council No. 39. Jr. O. U. A. M., meets every Wednesday evening, 7.30 o'clock, in Pythian Hall. Cordial welcome to all visiting brethren.

Goldsboro Lodge No. 189, B. P. O. E. meet 2nd and 4th Thursday night of each month in Pythian Hall, at 7.30 o'clock. Kiks Home, 105 Chestnut street: open daily from 8.30 to to 1 a. m. Visiting brothers entitled to register are cordially welcome at all times to Lodge or Home.

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Ruffin Lodge No. 6, K. ofP., meet every Friday evening, at 7.30 o'clock in Pythian Hall. Knightly welcome to visitors.

Wayne Lodge, No. 112, A. F. & A. M., meets on every Monday evening, Pythian Hall. Visiting brothers heartily welcome.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Items of Interest in and Around the City.

The shipment of beans from hereabouts is new on in full blast.

Our young friend and townsman Dr. Israel Mayerberg, of whom we made barber, says he will have to resign notice yesterday, arrived home this after 2:30 o'clock on each Saturday to afterneon, and is being right cordially congratulated by all his friends here.

East Centre St., adjoining the home of each position. Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Munroe, to the south of them, has been purchased by our townsman Mr. M. J. Best. The consideration named in the deed of record is \$2,000.

Company are billing the city for a week's engagement here, under a big tent, beginning next Monday. They show under the auspices of the Goldsbere Military, and are said to be very

Dr. Louis H. Reid, of Macon, Ga., is in the city, having come in response to is at Chapel Hill commencement. a telegram of the serious illness of his sister Mrs. I. Newton Brown, who, we are glad to know, is some better today. Sunday selling law, which has been on are always glad to see him.

"Uncle Isaac" Hodges, the colored Lord Chesterfield, of this city, who is moted for his ability as a gardner as well as for his politeness, boasts, of the finest bean patch in this section-and from the evidence we saw this morning ever, permitting the sale of Sunday be is entitled to the chromo.

The government report on the condition of the cotton crop, issued today and published in our telegraphic news columns, puts the general average of the country at 70 1-2, while in this State it is given at 80 per cent. So that North Carolina, as usual, is holding her own.

Miss Hattle N. Dillon, of Richmond, city for a few days, at the home of Mr. lowest bidder. W. T. Dortch. She arrived this afternoon, and reports that Mr Bunn is very much better, which will be gratefulness to his relatives and many friends here.

Again it is the pleasure of the ARGUS to note the success of a Goldsboro boy. This time it is our young friend Dr. Israel W Mayerberg, who has just graduated with distinction from Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, and has been awarded assistand physician's place in the hospital at Wilmington, this State.

O The papers are making much comment over the attendance at the Confederate reunion in Richmond of a father and son who were in the war together, and marveling that the two are still living. We have here in Wayne county Col. J. T. Kennedy and his son Dr. J. B. Kennedy, who not only saw service together-enduring the war, but club women from every section of the are still living together; the venerable father at the home of his son in Gran- town Exposition to take part in the tham township.

Promptly at 2 o'clock Monday all over this city there was a sudden pause, and with holy hush and bowed heads our community for five minutes paid tribute to the memory of the Southern Confederacy's immortal President, Jefferson Davis, as his monument was being unveiled in Richmond. Quite a number of the Daughters of the Confederacy were on the streets as delegates to see that the request for pause was observed.

souri" hereabouts. Well-the piano, a Four thousand lives are reported to veritable \$400 instrument, that the have been lost. Argus is going to award in its circulation contest-now nearing its close-is on exhibition at the corner store of thinks it is time to proceed against Messrs. Andrews & Waddell. The six the coal trust. The average consumer gold watches are on exhibition at the too would like to see the coal trust jewelry store of Mr. L. D. Giddens. fired. The European and Jamestown trips and scholarships, not being of a tangible or material nature, we cannot show them-but they are just as assured as the piano and watches are visible. It is simply up to the workers to win.

GREAT SWAMP ITEMS.

Personals and Pertinent Happe ings in That Presperous Sec-

Mr. Barnes Aycock made a business trip to Goldsboro one day last week.

Mrs. Mary Sasser, who has been quite sick, is much better, we are glad

Owing to the recent wet weather our farmers are very badly behind with their farm work.

Mrs. M. F. Ayoock was visiting her mother, Mrs. Julia Edgerton, near Pinkney, one day last week.

Miss Ellen Pope, who has been visiting her brother Mr. W. L. Pope, returned to her home near Lucama, Sat-

Mrs. W. H. Perrish, who has been quite sick with fever, is very much better, we are glad to note.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. Matthew Carr, who died Saturday and was buried Sunday, at the family burying ground, near Mr. W. B. Fort's plantation.

Mr. Frank Peele, of the Buck Swamp section, was visiting friends in our neighborhood Sunday.

Mrs. Haywood Godwin is very sick, we regret to note.

Mr. G. W. Newman, our efficient try the finny tribe; so, boys, if you want a hair cut and shave, please call The desirable residential property on about 12:30 o'clock, so he may fulfil

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Edsall-Winthrope Pavilion Stock Regular Monthly Meeting Last Night: Sunday Selling Law Modified.

The Broad of City Aldermen met in regular monthly session last night, with Mayor Ormond presiding, and all the aldermen in attendance with exception of siderman Lionel Weil, who

There was a committee in attendance asking for a repeal of the stringent Dr. Reid has many friends here who the city Statute books for long, but not tion took the eath of office. The committee were given a hearing, but upon a vote of the Board, it was overwhelmingly decided to maintain the ordinance. There was a modification, howpapers, morning and evening, immediately upon their arrival, but at no other time, and the delivery of milk in the city, and of ice cream in freezers, only, and easy then if it had been ordered on Saturday.

The matter of building a oulver bridge ever the big ditch on Ash street was referred to the street committee The monthly pay roll was passed, who has been nursing Hon, B. H. and the order for police uniforms was Bunn, near Rocky Mount, is in the placed with Mr. A. A. Joseph, as the

The Board then adjourned.

CARD OF TRANKS.

To the kind neighbors of this city who were were so generous, so attentive to my dear wife in her tatal illness while I was hurrying to her bedside, I beg to tender through your paper my heart-felt and lasting thanks. I shall remember them in gratitude as long as I live: and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bryan, her parents, join me in this expression. Very truly.

R. G. Elston, Birmingham, Ala.

Club Women at Jamestown.

(By special wire to THE ARGUS.)

Norfolk, Va., June 4.-Prominent country are gathering at the Jamescouncil meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, to be held there during the next two days. An informal reception in honor of the visitors takes place tonight and the business sessions will begin tomorrow morn-

Earthquake Kills Four Thousand.

[By special wire to THE ARGUS.]

Victoria, B. C., June 4-News of a terrible earthquake at Hsing-Krang There are lots of folks from "Mis- was brought here today by steamer.

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APPLIED.

As a general rule, which has but few exceptions, the greater part of the fertilizer should be applied to the soil before planting the crop it is intended to benefit. This rule is not only in accord with theoretical considerations, but is also abundantly sustained in actual practice, as shown by carefully conducted field experiments instituted for the express purpose of ascertaining the truth, says Hon. R. J. Redding, Director Georgia Experiment Station, Department of Agriculture, in Virginia-Carolina Fertilizer Almanac.

The theory underlying the rule is the fact that most of the ingredients composing a commercial fertilizer are not immediately soluble and availible, but must undergo certain chemical changes in the role of the plant food will be in the proper condition to be taken up by the role of the plants. This is particularly rule in regard to salts of potash, and in less degree to acid phosphate. It is a lact, also, that some forms of potash, notably kainit, cause chemical changes in the condition of the plant food already present in a soil, whereby the before incoluble and non-available plant food already in the soil, becomes available.

The organic substances which are largey used in the make up of commercial ertilizers for the purpose of supplying itrogen to the plants—such as cotton-ced meal, dried blood, fish scrap, tankege, etc., also require time in which to indergo chemical decomposition and such hange of form as will enable the roots of appropriate the nitrogen. Even subshate of ammonia, a highly soluble chemical set, which sometimes enters into the composition of a fertilizer in a very imited amount, must undergo a complete chemical decomposition in the sell before the plants can make any use of the nitrogen, which it contains in the form of ammonia sulphate. This must be converted into nitrate, or nitrabe of line.

Nitrate of sods is the use chemical fertilizer and that is immediately available, producing a very prompt effect when applied to the soil and beaded on from two to six weeks before p

applied and then "Bating," or throwing.

Now, the well-informed farmer only wants to know if the fertilizer be properly balanced for the crop he wishes to grow, and is sold at a fair price, and he purpose of comparing on the one hand the effectiveness of a complete fertilizer applied two weeks before planting, and, on the other hand, the effectiveness of the same quantity of the same fertilizer applied in the furnows with the seed, were followed by an unexpected and surprising result—vis., the action seeds planted . the plats in which the fertilizer in the plats in which the fertilizer and plants than resulted on the plats in which the fertilizer with the seed, or as plants than resulted on the plats in which the time of planting.

the fertiliner was applied in the furrews with the seeds. While this result was not contemplated, it was quickly explained by the fact that the fertiliser that had been in the ground two weeks had undergone the chemical changes already alluded to, and its plant food was ready for the immediate wants of the young plants. This result suggests that it may be expedient, in any case, to apply a small quantity—say 20 to 25 pounds—of nitrate of sods in the same furrow with the option or corn seeds, which may be done with perfect safety with cotton seeds, and without danger to corn if not placed in immediate contact with the seed.

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This may be understood to mean either applying the fertilizer, bedding on it and immediately planting the seed; or it may refer to the practice of putting the fertilizer in the furrow with the seed. In the latter case, there is always a manifest danger that the coming growing season may be unusually dry, in which event the fertilizer, being so lightly covered, may not be dissolved and properly disseminated through the soil. It may also follow that the fertilizer being so concentrated—en masse, as it were—around the tender rootlets of the young plants that the latter may be injured, or "burned"—a not inconsiderable danger. The plan is not advisable except when a very light application is to be made per acre. This caution is especially applicable to seeds that are planted in very shallow furrows and bût lightly covered, such as cotton, and it is generally safer to interpose some soil, or, better, deposit the fertilizer in one furrow and plant the seeds in a furrow immediately beside; or, vice versa, plant the seeds first in the furrow, and then the fertilizer in a furrow closs beside it. But the preferred plan is to bed on the fertilizer, and then plant the seeds. I have often applied 50 to 100 pounds of a "complete" fertilizer per acre in the furrow with the cotton seeds; but it was "away back" in the late sixties and early seventies when fertilizers sold at \$40 to \$60 a ton, and very light applications were supposed to be in the interest of a wise economy. We did not know much about fertilizers in those days, and were afraid to "put too much guano on the cotton." That time has passed and gone, and the up-to-date farmer has found that 500 and 600 pounds of fertilizer for cotton, a properly balanced high-grade fertilizer, to each acre of cotton is not dangerous or excessive, but simply liberal and judicious. Indeed, it is a question of simple arithmetic. If 100 pounds per acre is profitable, and it costs no more labor to cultivate an acre with 500 pounds of applied fe

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